

# U.S. Drought Monitor

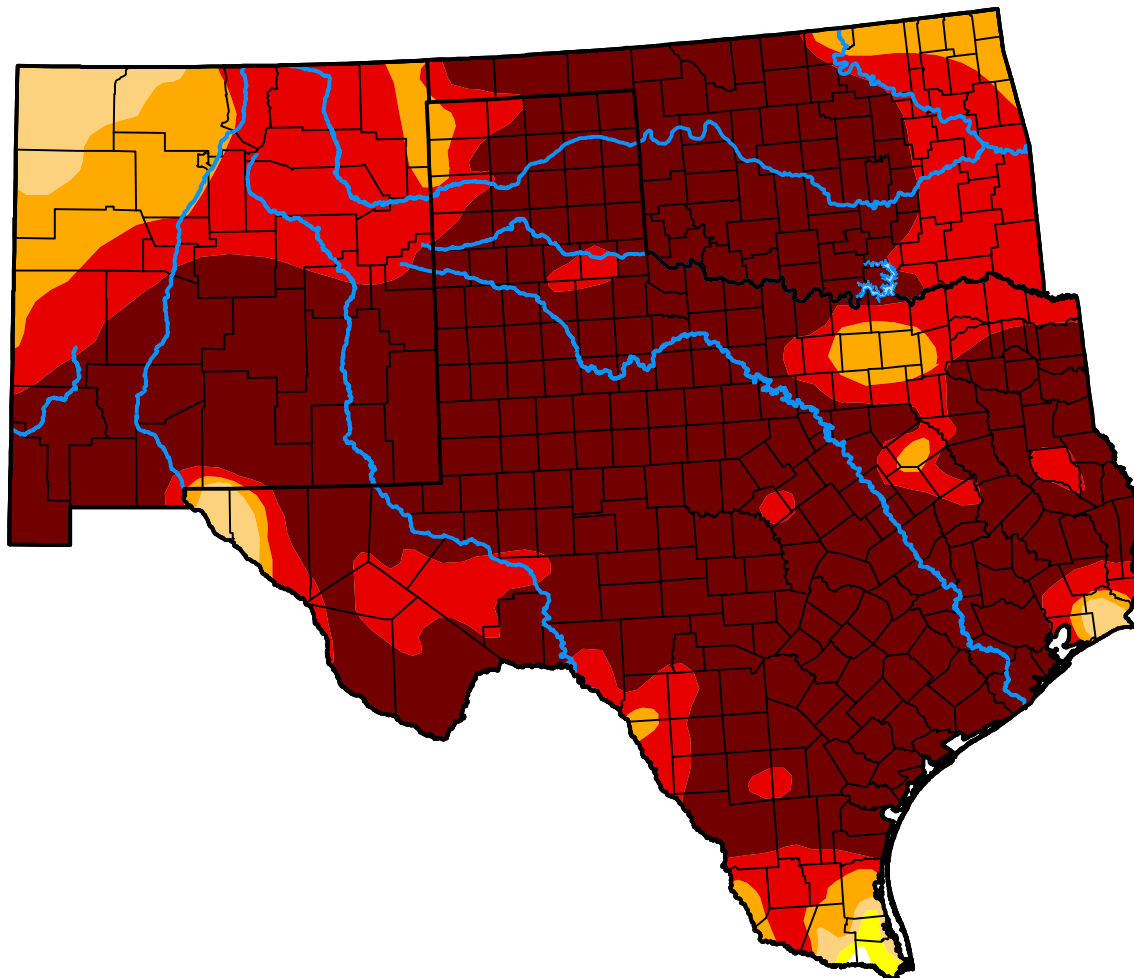
## Southern Plains RDEWS

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.04	0.26	2.69	7.47	21.60	67.94
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-02-2011</i>	0.04	0.26	2.27	9.63	22.64	65.16
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-10-2011</i>	3.38	3.45	6.02	17.10	32.10	37.95
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2011</i>	10.90	37.69	30.04	13.79	7.57	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2010</i>	74.44	23.51	1.48	0.57	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-10-2010</i>	86.92	11.01	1.74	0.34	0.00	0.00



***Intensity:***



*The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>*

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